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This is a decision on the request filed on June 7, 2010. The request is for a new office action and resetting date for response. The Office Action mailed May 21, 2010 fails to account for the claim amendments filed May 14, 2010. Applicants further reference a telephone discussion with the Examiner on May 10, 2010 where by the Examiner indicated that he would wait until the middle of June before acting on the application, giving Applicants the opportunity to file an amendment and a Rule 132 Declaration.

## **DECISION**

A review of the petitioner's evidence indicates that the request has merit.

## The Petition is **GRANTED**.

The Examiner is directed to issue a new office action addressing the claim amendments filed May 14, 2010 and to also consider the Rule 132 Declaration filed with the petition.

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